



# Saint Michael School

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School Board Agenda

December 4, 2025

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Opening Prayer: Karen Gostomski

## Mission Statement Recital (all)

**We are committed to providing students an exemplary education centered on traditional Catholic values, inspiring them to walk with God, learn, grow, and serve.**

I) **Roll Call/Introductions:** Michelle Charron, Mikki Edwards, Claudia Perry, Dianne Taylor, De Willman, Dave Miller, Dee Powell, Karen Gostomski, Lisa Smith, and new board member Andrea St. John.

## II) Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes

a) Corrected the spelling of Dianne Taylor's name. Technology note from F. should be omitted. And the 31aa and the non-public grants have been submitted. We are not submitting for a school liaison or dog.

l) Motion by Mikki and De

## III) Comments from the floor – None

- a) Guests
- b) Board Members
- c) Communications

## IV) Approval of Agenda

a) Motion by De and Mikki

## V) Discussion

- a) Diocesan Catholic School Board Fall Summit Review – several attended. Good info.
- b) Survey update – Mikki will be emailing copies to the board for final review. Any additional input or ideas is welcome.

## VI) Committee Reports

- a) Building, Grounds & Safety (Karen/Bob/De) – Sherriff Burns came this past Monday. Active shooter training was held. He was impressed with the safety features here.
- b) Marketing & Communications (De/Lisa/Andrea) – looking at photo-op backdrops. Andrea and Michelle will look at painting options. A discussion about an electronic sign vs. the current sign. Karen will continue the conversation and track the usage to substantiate the need and possibly have other groups help pay for the sign?
- c) Development - Foundation/Recruitment (Claudia/Dianne) -

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- d) Finance (Dave/Dee) – nothing to report at this time however the first Finance meeting will be in December. We will have new procedures to review and enact.
- e) Planning & Policy/ Mission Effectiveness (Karen/Andrea/Michelle) -
- f) Technology (Mikki/Dee) -
- g) Home & School (Niki Ray) – Auction wrap-up. Parents discussed pros/cons. Currently reporting profit \$78k and next year’s date is 10/17/2026. Elephant ear profit is at \$11k. Blankets and decals are available for sale. Daddy/daughter dance, Trivia night and Fish Fry coming up. Home and School have raised \$90k year to date.

#### **VII) Action Items**

- a) A follow up conversation about school tuition assistance is being tracked appropriately.

#### **VIII) Old Business**

#### **IX) Father’s Comments**

#### **X) Principal Report Discussion Items – Karen and Dee:**

- a) Giving Tuesday donations are at about \$4k.
- b) Game Night was packed this year. Dinner was offered. Kids had a lot of fun. Games help the kids with math and other school related activities.
- c) The Thanksgiving Dinner was also very successful. Donations came in around \$900 and the dinner cost around \$1300.
- d) Coco bar at the Castle’s Light up the Night this Friday 12/5/25.
- e) The Christmas program is 12/17.
- f) Reminder, “thank you” emails to our school staff are always welcome.
- g) Point of Sale payment acceptance is being reviewed.

#### **XI) Comments from the floor**

#### **XII) Dismissal prayer – Karen Gostomski.**

**Adjourned 6:31 pm**

**Next Meeting: 1/8/26**

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